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PATENT APPLICATION

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In re Application of:

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Application No.: 09/722,644

Filed: November 28, 2000

For: LASER WORKING APPARATUS,
LASER WORKING METHOD,
METHOD FOR PRODUCING INK
JET RECORDING HEAD UTILIZING
SUCH LASER WORKING
APPARATUS OR METHOD, AND
INK JET RECORDING HEAD
FORMED BY SUCH PRODUCING
METHOD

Examiner: Jonathan J. Johnson

Group Art Unit: 1725

March 28, 2003

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated January 28, 2003 for one month from February 28, 2003 to March 28, 2003.

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(Name of Attorney for Applicant)

March 28, 2003

Signature

Date of Signature

Submitted herewith is a check for \$110 to cover the fee for the extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,



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